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**From:** Valdez, Heather  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 22, 2013 3:36 PM  
**To:** Hedgpeth, Zach; Venus, Shirin; Jones, Toni; Pavitt, John; Mia, Marcia  
**Subject:** FW: CISWI Testing protocol

Hi, I received from Pogo mine a petition they mentioned about the upcoming CISWI test. I didn't catch on to this when I spoke with the source last, I thought she was still taking about the idea of petitioning us for more time to conduct the test. They are asking for alternative operating parameters, because they do not use controls that the rule assumes are used. So it could be a pretty complex request. I only have a hard copy, so next week I will get it scanned and send you all a PDF.

Have a good furlough day tomorrow, and holiday weekend!

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**From:** Valdez, Heather  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 22, 2013 4:31 PM  
**To:** 'Sally McLeod'  
**Subject:** RE: CISWI Testing protocol

Hi Sally, I wanted to let you know that I received your petition for alternative operating parameters to monitor. I wanted to verify, are you also sending separately a full performance test protocol? It would be helpful to have that to begin our review of this request.

I will begin to assess how long it will take to respond to this request considering its scope and my schedule constraints and respond to you as soon as I can with a time frame.

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**From:** Sally McLeod [<mailto:sally.mcleod@smmpogo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 17, 2013 1:25 PM  
**To:** Valdez, Heather  
**Subject:** Re: CISWI Testing protocol

Will do.

Sally McLeod  
Environmental Superintendent  
Sumitomo Metal Mining Pogo LLC

On May 17, 2013, at 12:09 PM, "Valdez, Heather" <[Valdez.Heather@epa.gov](mailto:Valdez.Heather@epa.gov)> wrote:

Great Sally. Yes, I think that it would be appropriate to send that to ADEC as well. While they are delegated authority over the Title V program so that they can draft permits, they are not delegated for

the general implementation of CISWI, so it is required that compliance information, notifications, and reports be submitted to the Region. However it is still important that they are aware of things for the sources they hold Title V permits for. There might even be a permit condition that you are subject to that could require the submission of the test protocol to ADEC, but I really do not know that.

One copy for our office will be sufficient.

Thanks

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**Sent:** Friday, May 17, 2013 12:53 PM  
**To:** Valdez, Heather  
**Subject:** Re: CISWI Testing protocol

Hi! Thank you for contacting me. We weren't sure who to send it to since the unit is on our current operation permit. Is it okay if we send it to ADEC as well? How many copies do you need?

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On May 17, 2013, at 11:34 AM, "Valdez, Heather" <[Valdez.Heather@epa.gov](mailto:Valdez.Heather@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Sally, this last Wednesday the Alaska Oil & Gas Association gave a presentation to Acting Office of Air and Radiation, Assistant Administrator, Janet McCabe and staff members of the Senate Committee on Energy & Natural Resources on the Small Remote Incinerator category of CISWI (Commercial Industrial Solid Waste Incinerators).

Separate from that discussion about future testing, it was mentioned that you would soon be submitting a testing protocol for unit located at the Pogo Mine to Region 10 for review. I wanted to reach out to you to let you know that if you have any questions I am the Regional point of contact for the CISWI rule, and that you can address that testing protocol to my office, my contact information is below. Thanks.

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